

CORRECTION: CHAMAESYCE OPHTHALMICA
(PERS.) BURCH

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ILEX VALERII VAR. RAMONENSIS (STANDLEY) EDWIN,
STAT. NOV. (AQUIFOLIACEAE)

Ilex valerii Standley var. **ramonensis** (Standley) Edwin, stat. nov., based on *I. ramonensis* Standley, Publ. Field Mus. Nat. Hist., Bot. Ser. **18**: 630, 1937.—Gabriel Edwin, Field Museum of Natural History, Chicago, Illinois.

BOMBACACEAE NEOTROPICAE NOVAE I. NEW SPECIES
OF CHORISIA AND QUARARIBEA.

Chorisia incana A. Robyns, sp. nov.; *C. integrifoliae* Ulbr. proxima, a qua tubi staminei parte incrassata inferiore ut verticillo lorum anatherorum dense stellato-incana sat differt.—Fig. 1.

Arbor usque ad 10 m alta; truncus 60 cm diam attingens; rami ramulique glabri et inermes. *Folia* alterna, ramulorum apicem versus glomerata, digitata, 5-foliolata, glabra; petiolus teres, longitudinaliter sulcatus, basi apiceque vix dilatatus, usque ad 10 cm longus; foliola breviter petiolulata petioluloque usque ad 3-5 mm longo supra canaliculato ad petiolum articulato; lamina elliptica, basi attenuata et in petiolulum decurrens, apice caudato-acuminata acumineque plus minusve obtuso et mucronulato, usque ad 11 cm (vel ultra?) longa et 5.5 cm lata, chartacea, marginibus integris, supra nitida, subtus opaqua, nervo mediano supra carinato-prominulo infraque prominenti, nervis secundariis utrinque subprominulis. *Flores* ad ramulorum apicem aggregati, axillares, solitarii (?) vel 2-3-fasciculati; albastrata oblonga, apice rotundata; pedicellus rectus, plus minusve angulatus, usque ad 3.5 cm longus, in sicco nigrescens, glaber, in parte superiore 3 bracteolis alternatis cito caducis instructus; receptaculum eglandulosum; calyx valvatus, tubuliformi-campanulatus, 2-3-lobatus, ca 1.5 cm longus, extrinsecus in sicco nigrescens glaberque, intus praecipue in parte dimidia inferiore albido-sericeus, lobis depresso ovatis apiceque rotundatis; petala 5, anguste oblonga, basi leviter angustata et basi tubi staminei adnata, apice acuta, ca 6 cm longa et 1 cm lata, crenea sed marginibus rubellis, carnosae, marginibus integris quidem in sicco undulato-crispatis, utrinque praeter imam partem stellato-puberula ad dense stellato-tomentella; tubus stamineus usque ad 5.5 cm longus, praeter partem inferiorem incrassatam cylindrico-